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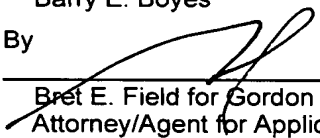
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated June 29, 2007 for which a three month period for response was given, making this response due by September 29, 2007. Accordingly, this amendment is timely filed.